

THE DAILY EXAMINER.

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CHIGNECTO SHIP RAILWAY.

The finances of a South American Republic should determine a public work in Canada, shows how small the world is and how interdependent its peoples! The contract for the above work was let to the celebrated Meigs, a man of colossal ventures, who, amongst other contracts in Argentina, had one for a railway fifteen hundred miles long. When the collapse in Argentina finances took place three years ago, causing the failure of the Barings, Mr. Meigs suspended and work on the ship railway ceased after an expenditure of \$3,000,000 had been made.

prevent the Government doing anything for the Province, so that they might benefit politically from the dissatisfaction which would result. In what other way can we account for Mr. Davies' statement in the Commons, during last session, that Sir Douglas Fox's lowest estimate for a tunnel of proper dimensions was for \$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000, and that a small "toy tunnel" would cost one-half the latter amount? As a matter of fact Sir Douglas Fox estimates that a tunnel sixteen feet in diameter—sufficient to accommodate the rolling stock of the Intercolonial Railway—would only cost \$8,895,000, and that an eleven-foot tunnel, which would admit rolling stock of a narrow-gauge road, could be constructed at a cost of \$5,376,000.

Why did Mr. Davies exaggerate to such an extraordinary extent the cost of the tunnel, if his object were not to deter ministers from giving it favorable consideration? How can it be expected that Prince Edward Island will get justice when our representatives, animated by feelings of hostility to the Government, deliberately misled them regarding public works for the Island? Is it any wonder that the Conservatives of West Queen's should "deplore" the mistake of sending to parliament men who, impelled by a feeling of hostility to the majorities from all the other provinces, act in this unworthy manner? If our representatives would be firm in "harmony" with the Government, and place the wants of the Island before them in a friendly way, the Province would undoubtedly reap decided advantages.

If the people of this Island desire fair treatment in the matter of public works, they should send representatives to Ottawa who are in sympathy with the great party whose policy is and has been to develop the resources of Canada by the construction of useful public works. If, on the other hand, our people are satisfied to feed on the husks of opposition promises, they will continue to send a majority of members to Ottawa who will exaggerate the cost and minimize the advantages of public works for P. E. Island, with the object of promoting the interests of the Grit party.

Water for Summerside. (The Pioneer's Report.) A very good gathering assembled in the Market Hall on Friday evening to hear Mr. William Heard, of Charlottetown, lecture upon the subject of a water supply system for Summerside. The chairman of the Town Council, Mr. R. Hunt, occupied the chair. The lecture was one of rhetoric and pathos, but a straightforward, business-like handling of a subject which meant the spending of money. The lecturer seemed to have given considerable study to the geological formation of the Island as well as to the practical details of bringing the water from the under stratum to the houses of the town.

FASTER THAN NANCY HANKS.

At Fort Wayne, Indiana, on August 31, in the presence of five thousand persons, Starter Frank B. Walker introduced Ed. Geers and the great pacing gelding Robert J. (2:06), with the announcement that the gelding would be driven against track record of 2:06, made yesterday by Joe Patchen. Not a breath of air stirred and not a murmur could be heard as the announcement was made. Conservative judges believed Robert J. would be equal to the task of making the track record, but only a few knew that he was out for higher honors.

Down they came for the word, the pace-maker half a length back at the wire Mr. Geers gave his signal, and the sassy son of Hartford was off, at a gallop that only he could go to the first quarter, and at each stride he opened a wider gap on the feet thoroughbred. A hundred watches caught one-fourth of the distance in 3:04.

Lyons was urging the runner to her utmost clip, while Geers sat like a statue behind the pacer. The half was made in 1:02, and the three quarters in 1:33. Careful, the runner, was now well on even terms with the pacer. The latter never faltered. The silent man, with a gentle tap, landed Robert under the wire. Mr. Geers came lance and dismount. The crowd began its greeting, and from the looks on the timers' faces the story was well guessed. It was only a moment till Starter Walker announced 2:03.

Never did 5,000 people cheer with more enthusiasm, and it was fully ten minutes before Mr. Walker could get the crowd's attention, and propose three cheers for Ed. Geers, the driver, and Robert J., the King of Pacers, the king of horses in 1894. Robert J., the pony, was now a giant among horses. He had at one stroke wrested the 2:04 crown from Nancy Hanks, Mascot and Flying Jib.

But another record breaking performance awaited the crowd. Geers soon came back with the 4-year-old champion mare Fantasy (2:07). She was sent to the quarter in 3:24, half in 1:03, three quarters in 1:35 and the mile in 2:07.

Alix was a little bit shy of the scattering paper on the track, and on the first trial against her 2:05 record she made a break after going a half, but was overtaken by Dowell came back and was given the word again. She went to the quarter in 3:14, half in 1:02, the three quarters in 1:34, making the mile in exactly her record, it being a triplicate performance in the same notch.

GENERAL TELEGRAPHIC NEWS. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 3.—Six negro barn burners were taken from custody at Millington last night, and shot to death. Millington is 30 miles north of Memphis. The negroes were shot by a mob of about fifty men. In two minutes the work was over and the shooters rode off.

LIVERMORE FALLS, Me., Sept. 2.—Daniel Terblorde, a Canadian, aged about 20, was called by his door at Jay Bridge, at 7:30 Saturday evening, and told that Terblorde asked, "Have you got something for me, John?" Oulette replied, "Yes I've got something for you, Dan," and established him with entry. Terblorde Terblorde's abdomen, cutting two intestines and a blood vessel. Oulette fled, and is still at large. Officers are scouring the country for him. Terblorde is in a critical condition, and cannot live. Oulette's motive is unknown.

BERLIN, Sept. 3.—The anniversary of Sedan was observed here with the usual decorations of streets, although the popular enthusiasm was dampened by rumors of the Emperor's disapproval. Terblorde had allowed the Sedan celebration to take its course today, there would have been such a demonstration as the empire has seldom seen since the day of Sedan in Berlin, but in the provinces, rumors of efforts to suppress the festival caused a strong reaction of feeling.

NEWS NOTES. Reports of the cotton crop in India are satisfactory. It is said Mr. Stoll will return to Rome at the end of the year. The Bank of England's rate of discount remains unchanged at 2 per cent. Of all the families in the United States, there are 12,000,000, about 48 per cent. own their farms or homes.

The most noticeable increase in imports from Canada is going to the new tariff went into force in its eyes. Mr. Arthur Peake went into force in its eyes. Soldiers, etc. Messrs. McGregor, Goodwill, etc. Selection from "H. T. Proulx" by Verdi Orchestra. Recitation—"Miss Edith Entertaining Her Sister's Deaf" by Mrs. Arthur Peake Orchestra. Selection—"Waltz," "Nachtigall" by Friban Rose Orchestra. Monologue, introducing song "Leone" by Mr. William Bayfield. Organ—"Mr. George Foster. Selection—"Little Kicker" by Mrs. Arthur Peake Orchestra. CURSE SCENE FROM "LEAH THE FORSAKEN" by Leah (a Jewish Maiden) by Miss May Kelley Orchestra. Selection—"Romance de Freischütz" by Weber Orchestra. Concluding with the Charming Musical Comedietta, "TOM'S PROPOSAL."

THE MODERN BEAUTY. Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant liquid laxative Syrup of Figs.

SAMPLES OF LYMAN'S EYE COFFEE are being distributed from house to house. The coffee is for sale at Watson's Drug Store, 25 cents per bottle. Hawker's Pills are an unfailing cure for biliousness and sick headache.

SOURIS NOTES.

Schooners in port—John McKenzie, T. W. Smith, Curfew, Winnie C. Gladiola, Tololo, Colin W. Bessie Jennings, Gelela, Yoomie, John M. Plummer, S. F. M. Ethel B. Jacobs have on board 1,335 hals mackerel. She will leave the Bay about the 10th. The captain hopes to fill up the balance of his barrels before that date. Capt. Jacobs is commander of the American fishing fleet in North Bay. As he said to Capt. Kent of the cruiser Kingsfisher today, "When one of our vessels speak a vessel on the fishing grounds, they never ask if there is any mackerel, but 'Do you know where Jacobs is?' When the answer is in the affirmative the word is 'Haul aft the main sheet and hoist the taloon jib; we must find Saal!'"

Mackerel is \$10 per barrel in Souris. We had a heavy gale here yesterday from the northwest. There are about 40 vessels in port.

Capt. Hilton, of the schooner Curfew, while helping to carry along a fender got badly hurt. Dr. McElliott was at once sent for and ordered him to be removed to the Lincoln House, which was immediately attended to by the Collector of Customs of this port. It is high time that the Government had the Marine Hospital fitted up for the accommodation of sick seamen.

LOCAL NOTICES. Advertisements under this heading charged for at the rate of ten cents per line. Never did 5,000 people cheer with more enthusiasm, and it was fully ten minutes before Mr. Walker could get the crowd's attention, and propose three cheers for Ed. Geers, the driver, and Robert J., the King of Pacers, the king of horses in 1894.

Miss Amy Moore will reopen her class in Pianoforte Music on September 17th, sept 4-41. Big discount sale of Boots at Goff Bros. We do not advertise what we "are not and never will be." What we have been and are, is more interesting. Low prices for school and college books is now the order of things at Carter's Bookstore.

Sportmen!—Hazard's Ducking Powder at Fennell & Chandler's. dkw. Twenty-five per cent. off Ladies' Kid Boots at Goff Bros.

A very nice assortment of dinner sets, tea sets and chamber sets just received and must be sold at the Cheap Crockery Store—W. P. Colwill. aug 29 2w d w

Sale of Books only until September 20th at Goff Bros. School and college books a specialty at the Bazaar Store. See our fine line of stationery, foolscap, scribbles, etc. sept 2i

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PROGRAMME OF THE BAYFIELDE Benefit and Farewell Recital AT THE MASONIC OPERA HOUSE, Thursday Evening, September 6. Under Distinguished Patronage.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO THE EXAMINER

TERRIBLE FIRES IN THE WEST

Fifteen Hundred Lives Lost. MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 4. The latest reports from the raging forest fires contain terrible news. Twelve towns have been wiped out of existence, and nearly fifteen hundred lives lost.

Races at St. John. Sr. JOHN, Sept. 30. In the 2:30 race here yesterday, Ram-part, Jr., won. Helena was second, Deceiver third, and Breton fourth. In the three-minute class, J. I. C. won. Isaacwood second; Mary G. third.

Races at New Glasgow. NEW GLASGOW, Sept. 4. In the races yesterday, in the 2:50 class Nelly Bly was first, Wild Joy second, and John Davies third. In the three-year old race, Princess Belle came in first, Simon W. second, Rosie Mac third.

Woman Killed by a Robber. PROVIDENCE, Sept. 4. Mrs. Susan A. Potter, wife of Gilbert Potter, was found dead in bed with a bullet hole in her temple. She was evidently killed by a robber.

Bicycle Record Broken. COLMBUS, O., Sept. 4. The world's tandem bicycle record for a quarter mile was broken yesterday by Perry Okey and Wm Dent in 26 sec.

Death of an Eminent Man. EDMUNDS, Sept. 4. John Vetch, the eminent philosopher and literary critic, died at Peabody yesterday.

ENTRIES FOR THE SUMMERSIDE RACES. The following are the entries for the races to be held at Summerside: 2:30 CLASS. Fred, entered by Blair W. Allen; Almost Wilkes; Harry Craswell; Westlaw; John Steele; Lady Hilda; George Thorne; Oswald; John McDonald; Tossie; Henry Horne; Balston; James McDonald.

2:35 CLASS. Egunot, entered by D. A. McNally; French All Right; W. D. Bullman; Lout S. Wm Bateman; Blanche; J. M. McLeod; Hatan; Milford Farm; Malpeque Boy; Robert Crafer.

2:55 CLASS. Nitanus entered by Alder Black; Beau Prince; Emile Arsenault; Banker; H. A. Darby; Peerless; James McLeod; Brighton Boy; Ronald Steele; Tossie; Henry Horne; Deceiver; Newton Dawson; Lawn Dominic; James McNeill.

THE PROGRAMME of the Bayfielde Concert appears in today's paper. Tickets are for sale at Duff's and Rankin's, where the plans of the Hall may be seen.

REAL ESTATE SALES.—The dwelling house, store and other buildings belonging to the estate of the late W. Wightman were sold on the premises at Georgetown, on Saturday last. Mr. W. W. Jenkins of that town was the purchaser of the large house and premises on the corner of Kent and Richmond street, and also of the store, etc., that he has occupied for some years past, for the sum of \$1,405. Mr. W. E. McCormack of Bouillon Island, bought the large warehouse fronting on Richmond street for \$400, the total for the whole estate realizing \$1,805. Mr. A. McNeill, of this city, was the auctioneer.

Consumptives, cheer up! You are not going to die, if you will but take Miller's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, the kind that cures coughs, colds, bronchitis and the first-stage of consumption. Every bottle warranted. No oily taste like others. In big bottles, 50c. and \$1.00, at druggists.

"I'll tell you what," said McSwatters, the other evening, "if you want to bring out what's in a man, give him a sea voyage."

Serofula humors and all diseases caused or promoted by impure blood or low state of the system, are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

His beautifully situated private residence, fronting on Fitzroy Street, part of the Holland Grove property, adjoining the residence of John Richards, Esq. Terms at sale. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. sept 4-eod

Apples, Pears, Grapes, etc By Auction, To-morrow, Wednesday, at 10.30, at Rooms, Queen Street.—20 barrels Choice Apples, barrels and boxes Pears, Grapes, Diglys, etc. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. sept 4

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JAS. PATON & CO., 168 Victoria Row. 8 dozen Ladies' Everfast Seamless Hose—2 pairs for 25 cents. 10 dozen Ladies' Cashmere Hose at 25 cents per pair. Something special in Ladies' Wools Underwear. These goods are new and seasonable.

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